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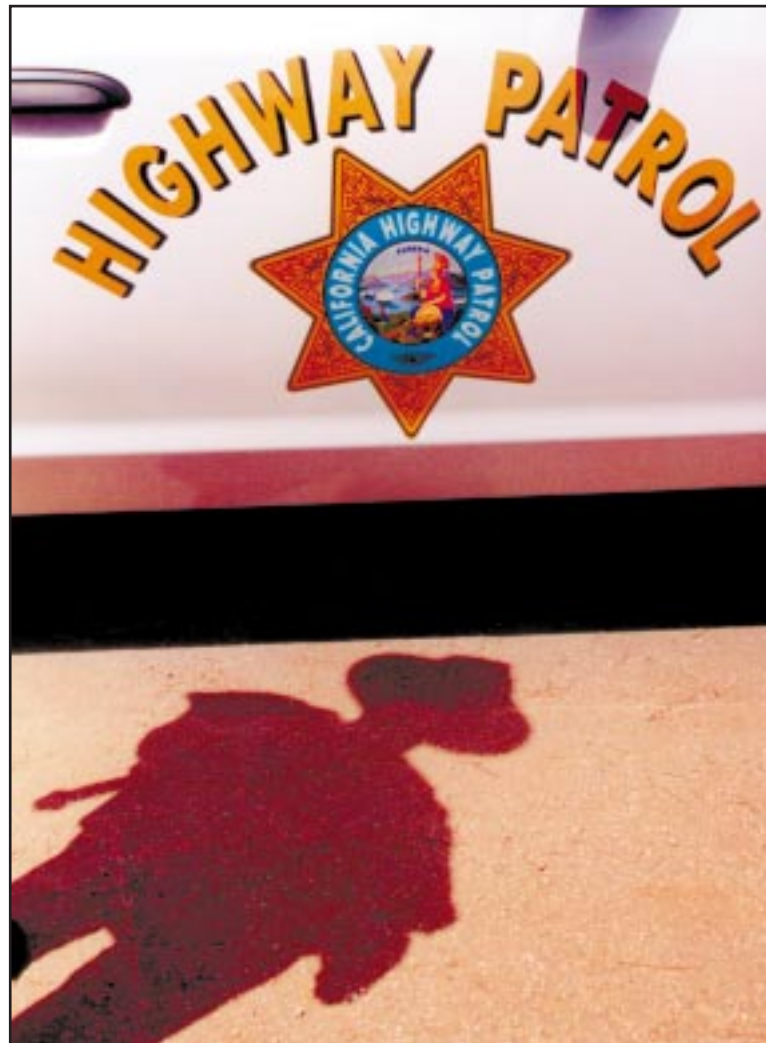
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### Dedication

This book is dedicated to all past and present members of the California Highway Patrol who have made, and continue to make, every 24 hours one of commitment, pride and dedication.



**COVER: Officer Michael Gruver** consoles the victim of a traffic collision. The victim, a motorcyclist, was badly injured when a Honda Prelude spun out of control and hit his cycle and two other vehicles on I-10 in Central Los Angeles.  
Central Los Angeles – Photo by Rick Myrie